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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Supplemental
Information Disclosure Statement in the above-identified
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- ☐ within three months of the application
filing date;
- ☒ more than three months from the
application filing date but before the
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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98, submission of
this statement requires no fee. However, if for any reason
a fee is due, the Director is hereby authorized to charge
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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE
STATEMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R §§ 1.56 and 1.97, applicants
hereby make of record the following patents in the
above-identified application:

U.S. PATENTS

Brooks et al.	U.S. Patent 5,973,684	October 26, 1999
Sposato	U.S. Patent 5,781,228	July 14, 1998
Dunn et al.	U.S. Patent 5,721,829	February 24, 1998

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENT

PCT WO 97/03521 January 30, 1997

Copies of the aforementioned references, which are listed on
the accompanying Form PTO-1449 (submitted in duplicate), are
enclosed herewith.

The information contained in this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application. In particular, these references were cited in the July 13, 2001 International Search Report in applicants' corresponding PCT international application PCT/US01/10235. A copy of that Search Report is enclosed herewith.

Consideration of the foregoing in relation to this patent application is respectfully requested.

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